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THE ESTATE OF ERIK A. POWELL,) CIVIL NO. CV04-00428 DAE-LEK
 THROUGH PERSONAL)
 REPRESENTATIVE MARY K.)
 POWELL; THE ESTATE OF JAMES) EX PARTE MOTION FOR
 D. LAUGHLIN, THROUGH) APPOINTMENT OF NEXT
 PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE) FRIEND; DECLARATION OF
 RAGINAE C. LAUGHLIN; MARY K.) EMILY KAWASHIMA WATERS;
 POWELL, INDIVIDUALLY;) ORDER GRANTING
 RAGINAE C. LAUGHLIN,) APPOINTMENT OF NEXT
 INDIVIDUALLY; CHLOE) FRIEND
 LAUGHLIN, A MINOR, THROUGH)
 HER NEXT FRIEND, RAGINAE C.)
 LAUGHLIN,)
)
 Plaintiffs,)
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 vs.)
)
 CITY AND COUNTY OF)
 HONOLULU,)
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 Defendant.)

EX PARTE MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEXT FRIEND

Come now Plaintiffs above-named, by and through their attorneys, The Law Offices of Ian L. Mattoch, and hereby move this Court of an Order appointing RAGINAE E. LAUGHLIN, as Next Friend for minor CHLOE LAUGHLIN, pursuant to **Rule 17(c) Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and H.R.S. § 551-2**, on the grounds that CHLOE LAUGHLIN is a minor, that it is necessary that an adult be named as Next Friend to represent said minor. Said minor has a claim for damages arising from a July 12, 2002 incident, that no Next Friend or Guardian has previously been appointed to represent the interests of said minors. That RAGINAE C. LAUGHLIN is willing to so act on behalf of CHLOE LAUGHLIN and that RAGINAE C. LAUGHLIN is the natural mother of CHLOE LAUGHLIN.

This motion is made pursuant to **Rule 17(c) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Hawaii Revised Statutes §551-2**.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, 3. 6. 06.



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